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1. In May 1955, coastal defense units of the North Korean Army were stationed along the coast of Kaep'ung-gun (BS7790) at BS724968, BS721959, BS720955, BS721950, and BS738922. Each unit consisted of one officer armed with a pistol and 15 enlisted men with PPS's. The main duty of these units was to maintain checks and controls and to apprehend persons attempting to get to South Korea.
2. A navy patrol unit was stationed at BS738997. The unit had four motor boats about 25 feet long that patrolled the areas between BS738997, BT710000, BS705999, BS700956, and BS717949 once every two days. Boat crews usually contained four or five men.

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